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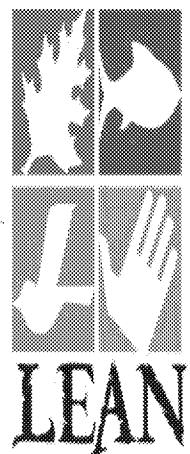
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**Ethylene Oxide Community Meetings in Louisiana**

The U.S. EPA is conducting a series of Community Meetings, via zoom or phone, to discuss ethylene oxide in Louisiana communities. If you live in one of these communities and/or are concerned about the potential health impacts of ethylene oxide, please participate.

Thursday, August 12, 2021 6:00pm to 8:00pm - Taminco (St. Gabriel, LA)

Thursday, August 12, 2021 6:00pm to 8:00pm - BCP Ingredients (St. Gabriel, LA)

Thursday, August 19, 2021 6:00pm to 8:00pm - Union Carbide (Hahnville, LA)

Tuesday, August 24, 2021 6:00pm to 8:00pm - Evonik, Reserve Plant (Reserve, LA)

## **ETHYLENE OXIDE IN LOUISIANA**

The industrial facilities releasing Ethylene Oxide in Louisiana are located along the Mississippi River Industrial Corridor in Iberville Parish, Ascension, St. John the Baptist and St. Charles parishes. As well as Calcasieu Parish in southwest Louisiana near the Texas border.

Based on the 2014 National Air Toxics Assessment (NATA) for Ethylene Oxide, the Ethylene Oxide air emissions from the Union Carbide facility in Hahnville, along with the Ethylene Oxide air emissions from the Evonik Materials facility in Reserve, St. John the Baptist Parish, are responsible for St. John the Baptist and St. Charles parishes having the highest risk of cancer from Ethylene Oxide in all of Louisiana and all of the United States. St. John the Baptist Parish also has the highest risk of cancer in the United States from air emissions of Chloroprene.

## Facilities Releasing Ethylene Oxide in Louisiana

Facility Name	Total Gross Releases(lbs)	Location
BASF CORP	13,300	Geismar, LA
ST CHARLES OPERATIONS (TAFT/STAR) UNION CARBIDE CORP	11,012	Hahnville, LA
SHELL CHEMICAL LP	7,457	Geismar, LA
THE DOW CHEMICAL CO - LOUISIANA OPERATIONS	3,494	Plaquemine, LA
SASOL CHEMICALS (USA) LLC-LAKE CHARLES CHEMICAL COMPLEX	3,176	Westlake, LA
EVONIK CORP	1,658	Reserve, LA
BCP INGREDIENTS INC	198	St. Gabriel, LA
TAMINCO US LLC	191	St. Gabriel, LA
LACC LLC US/LOTTE CHEMICAL LOUISIANA LLC	145	Westlake, LA
INEOS OXIDE A DIV OF INEOS AMERICAS LLC	96	Plaquemine, LA
RUBICON LLC	93	Geismar, LA
SE TYLOSE LOUISIANA LLC	18	Plaquemine, LA
WESTLAKE LAKE CHARLES NORTH	8	Westlake, LA
AXIALL LLC	2	Plaquemine, LA

source: 2019 TRI National Analysis

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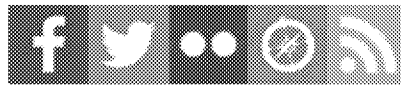
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